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Serial No. 10/803,975 : Group Art Unit 3747

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GAS ENGINE ELECTRIC POWER  
GENERATING SYSTEM EFFECTIVELY  
UTILIZING GREENHOUSE  
GAS EMISSION CREDIT : **Mail Stop: AMENDMENT**

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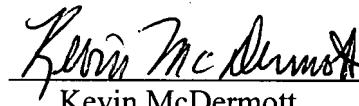
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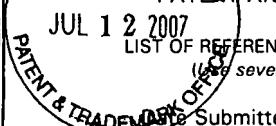
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